



Second Regular Session 117th General Assembly (2012)

SENATE RESOLUTION

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

A SENATE RESOLUTION recognizing John Charles Bryant for his contributions to the Northern Indiana Center for History.

Whereas, John Charles Bryant is a life-long resident of South Bend and a collector of Black History memorabilia about the South Bend area;

Whereas, Much of his memorabilia collection has been donated to the Northern Indiana Historical Society, now known as the Northern Indiana Center for History;

Whereas, John Charles Bryant has researched and contributed more than 75 percent of the African American Historical Archives at the Northern Indiana Center for History;

Whereas, John Charles Bryant has also donated African-American historical documents to the Penn Mishawaka Public Library, the South Bend Public Library Genealogy Department, and to the Civil Rights Heritage Center at Indiana University South Bend; and



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Whereas, John Charles Bryant is active with the Indiana University Civil Rights Heritage Center and is an active board member of the South Bend Regional Museum of Art: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana State Senate recognizes John
- 2 Charles Bryant for his contributions to the Northern Indiana Center for
- 3 History.

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- 4 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to
- 5 transmit two copies of this resolution to John Charles Bryant.

